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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Applicant(s): James M. Thommes

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FOR: Method And Apparatus For Receiving A Universal Input Voltage In A Welding Power Source

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Herewith is a preliminary amendment for the application identified above.

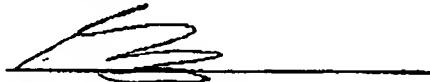
**FEE CALCULATION, CLAIMS AS AMENDED:**

Claims after amendment	Previously paid for	Present Extra	Additional Fee
All claims: 52 minus 20	= 32	X \$18.00 =	\$576.00
Ind. claims: 12 minus 3	= 9	X \$86.00 =	\$774.00

**TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE: \$1350.00**

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Respectfully Submitted



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